

FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2001

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Application Number	Continuation of 09/232,110
Filing Date	April 26, 2001
First Named Inventor	Philip Louis Taylor
Examiner Name	
Group Art Unit	
Attorney Docket No.	MBX 034 CON (2)

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account Number: 01-2507
Deposit Account Name: Arnall Golden & Gregory, LLP

- ☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☐ Payment Enclosed:

☐ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101 710	201 355	Utility filing fee	710.00
106 320	206 160	Design filing fee	
107 490	207 245	Plant filing fee	
108 710	208 355	Reissue filing fee	
114 150	214 75	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$710.00)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims: 17 - 20 = 0 x Fee from below = 0
Independent Claims: 2 - 3 = 0 x Fee from below = 0
Multiple Dependent: 0 x Fee from below = 0

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 80	202 40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 270	204 135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 80	209 40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
116 390	216 195	Extension for reply within second month	
117 890	217 445	Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,390	218 695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,890	228 945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 310	219 155	Notice of Appeal	
120 310	220 155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 270	221 135	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,240	241 620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,240	242 620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 440	243 220	Design issue fee	
144 600	244 300	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126 240	126 240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581 40	581 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146 710	246 355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149 710	249 355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179 710	279 355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169 900	169 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) _____

* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicant: Philip Louis Taylor

Serial No: Continuation of 09/232,110

Express Mail Label
No. EL 709 416 591 US

Filed: April 26, 2001

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For: AQUEOUS COATING COMPOSITION GIVING COATINGS HAVING AN
IMPROVED EARLY HARDNESS AND TACK-RESISTANCE

BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION APPLICATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)**

Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), of copending prior application U.S.S.N. 09/232,110 filed January 15, 1999, entitled "*Aqueous Coating Composition Giving Coatings Having an Improved Early Hardness and Tack-Resistance*", by Philip Louis Taylor, which is a continuation of U.S.S.N. 08/776,264 filed March 24, 1997, which is a 371 of International Application No. PCT/EP95/02821 filed July 14, 1995, which claims priority to foreign application No. 9414922.6 filed July 25, 1994 in the UNITED KINGDOM. The application includes 1 page of abstract, 12 pages of specification, 2 pages of claims, and a copy of the executed Declaration for Patent Application from prior application U.S.S.N. 08/776,264.

Continuation of U.S.S.N. 09/232,110
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**REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION
APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)**
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d), the copy of the executed Declaration included in the new application is a copy of the executed Declaration filed in parent application Serial No. 08/776,264, to which the new application claims benefit.

A Preliminary Amendment and an Information Disclosure Statement are enclosed.

Applicant also encloses from prior application U.S.S.N. 08/776,264 filed March 24, 1997, copies of the (a) Recordation Form Cover Sheet and the executed Assignment from Philip Louis Taylor to Imperial Chemical Industries Plc, (b) executed Power of Attorney By Assignee of Entire Interest and Revocation of Prior Power by Imperial Chemical Industries Plc, and (c) executed Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) by Imperial Chemical Industries Plc.

This application is not entitled to small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 01-2507 in the amount of \$790.00 to cover the filing fee for a large entity. Also enclosed are (1) Fee Transmittal (PTO/SB/17); and (2) Utility Patent Application Transmittal (PTO/SB/45). It is believed that \$710.00 is the proper filing fee for a large entity, as the application includes 2 independent claims and a total of 17 claims after entry of the enclosed Preliminary Amendment.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Order Account No. 01-2507. To facilitate this process, applicant has enclosed a duplicate of this letter.

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The Express Mail label number appears in the heading of this paper which is attached to the
application papers pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.10(b).

All correspondence concerning this application should be mailed to:

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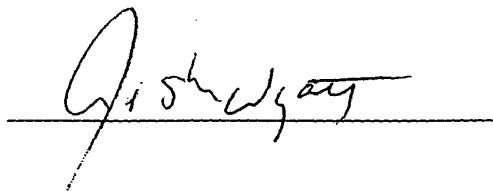
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

I hereby certify that this REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) and any documents referred to as attached therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date, April 26, 2001, in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10, Mailing Label Number EL 709 416 591 US addressed to Box Patent Application, Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. MBX 034 CON (2)

First Inventor Philip Louis Taylor

Title AQUEOUS COATING COMPOSITION GIVING COATINGS HAVING
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 15]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☐ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 1]
 - a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
 - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. ☐ paper
 - c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☒ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☒ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☒ Other: Copy of Recordation Form Cover Sheet and executed Assignment from prior application U.S.S.N. 08/776,264

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No.: 09 / 232,110

Prior application information:

Examiner Yoon, T.

Group / Art Unit: 1714

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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